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SUBJ: PLUTONIUM RECYCLE

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1. UNABLE PROVIDE DESIRED GUIDANCE AT THIS TIME, AS QUESTION OF PLUTONIUM RECYCLE STILL UNDER STUDY. ALSO QUESTION OF PHYSICAL PROTECTIO
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FOR EXPORT OF PU UNDER STUDY. WILL ADVISE SOONEST MORE INFORMATION
AVAILABLE.

2. RE ACCOUNTABILITY, IF AUTHORIZATIONS GRANTED FOR THE VARIOUS
ASPECTS OF THE PROPOSED ACTIVITY, UNDERSTAND THAT THIS ACCOUNTABILITY
WOULD BE ON (A) TOTAL PLUTONIUM, (B) PU-239 PLUS PU-241, AND PERHAPS
ALSO (C) SEPARATE PU-242 ANALYSIS.

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3. MIXTURE OF U.S.-ORIGIN WITH NON-U.S.-ORIGIN PLUTONIUM WOULD NOT

BE A PROBLEM, AS LONG AS TOTAL QUANTITY FISSILE ISOTOPES IMPORTED INT

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U.S. FOR USE IN U.S. REACTORS EQUALS QUANTITY THOSE ISOTOPES EXPORTED
FOR THIS PURPOSE.

4. REF GARRETT-RUBIN TELECON OF APRIL 23 RE FEED FOR UES/EU/WTM
TRANSNUCLEAR AND OAK RIDGE INFORM US THAT TRANSNUCLEAR WILL DELIVER
17 CYLINDERS CONTAINING ABOUT 140,000 KG U TO OAK RIDGE ON APRIL 30.
THIS WOULD MORE THAN COVER REQUIRED FEED FOR AUGUST AND SEPTEMBER
PRODUCT. IF TIHANGE NEEDS ADDITIONAL 30 TONS REFERRED TO BY RUBIN
IN ABOVEREFERENCED TELECON, WE UNDERSTAND IT CAN BE OBTAINED FROM
TRENOUTH BY CONTACTING D.H. BULLOCK, MANAGER OF MARKETING, ELDORADO
NUCLEAR LIMITED, PORT HOPE, CANADA.

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